



**LANL submittal**  
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Isaac – You have or will soon receive an August 15 submittal from LANL (I presume Claudia will give it to you) with the subject:

**“Supplemental Reapplication Information and Notice of Planned Change in Sewage Sludge Disposal Practice at the Los Alamos National Laboratory Sanitary Waste Water System Facility – NPDES Permit NM0028355”**

We have some concerns regarding their proposed sludge disposal plan and have been discussing it with our Solid Waste Bureau (who also must approve) and DOE Oversight Bureau. We have no PCB (Congener) data for the sludge but suspect it contains PCBs at levels sufficient to contribute to WQS violations via storm water runoff from the disposal site. We are attempting to get data from LANL and would appreciate it if you would put a hold on these activities until we can evaluate it as well as their runoff control plans from the site.

Thanks

~ Rich